

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Anne Vachon Dougherty (Reg. No. 30374) on 5/29/08.

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it **MUST** be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

2. Amendments on Specification files on 2/1/08 are cancelled and should not be entered.

3. Specification is amended with a new title as --Method for Preserving the Order of Data Packets Processed along Different Processing Paths--.

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Jianye Wu whose telephone number is (571)270-1665. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday to Thursday, 8am to 7pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Seema Rao can be reached on (571)272-3174. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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